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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Pre Application of: James B. Copelan
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For: A Pre-Surgical Safety, Warning, Notification, and/or Alerting Device

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend this Application as follows:

In the Claims:

Kindly add the following claims:

9. A pre-surgical alerting device comprising:
- a. a strip suitable for placing on a body segment which is not to be affected by a surgical procedure, said strip having a superior side and inferior side,
 - b. visually perceivable indicator on said superior side, and
 - c. temporary attachment means for temporarily attaching said inferior side to the body segment.
10. A pre-surgical alerting device according to claim 1, wherein said attachment

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